Involving various institutions in resolving agricultural crisis

1185. SHRI A. VIJAYARAGHAVAN: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any step to tie-up agricultural universities and other .research institutions related to agriculture in resolving crisis in agriculture that leads to farmers suicides;

(b) if so, the details of tie-up in this regard as on today;

(c) the details including number of Krishi Vigyan Kendras and other institutions associated with above programme and the details of project and financial support provided, technologies developed and disseminated during the last two years, year-wise, State-wise, category-wise and institute-wise; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI KANTILAL BHURIA): (a) to (c) There is a scheme for technology assessment, refinement and demonstration of technology/product through Krishi Vigyan Kendras (KVKs) which have been sanctioned under Agricultural Universities, ICAR Institutes, Non-Government Organisations, State Governments and other educational institutions. The network of KVKs provide frontline extension support to facilitate the main extension system operated by the State Government. The details of KVKs are given in Statement-I and details of project and financial support is given in Statement-ll (See below).

(d) The question does not arise.

Statement-I

Details of KVKs and Associated Organizations

State	KVK	Associated Organization
1	2	3
Andhra Pradesh	i) Prakasham, ii) Nellore, iii) Cuddapah, iv) Anantpur,	Acharya NG Ranga Agricultural University, Hyderabad

1	2	3
	v) Adilabad, vi) Khammam vii) Nizamabad and viii) Warrangal	
	ix) Guntur	Vinayashram
	x) Kurnool	Shri Hanumanatharaya Educational and Charitable Society
	xi) Karimnagar	Gram Nava Nirman Samiti
	xii) Mehaboobnagar	Youth for Action
	xiii) Medak	Deccan Development Society
	xiv) Nalgonda	Aurbindo Institute of Rural Development
	xv) Chittoor	Rayalseema Seva Samiti
	xvi) Rangareddy	Central Research Institute for Dryland Agriculture
Karnataka	i) Hassan, ii) Chitradurga, iii) Chikkamagalur and iv) Shimoga	University of Agricultural Sciences, Bangalore
	v) Belgaum	Belgaum Integrated Rural Development Society
	vi) Kodagu	Indian Institute of Horticultural Research
Kerala	i) Wynad and ii) Palakkad	Kerala Agricultural University Thrissur
	iii) Kasaragode	Central Plantation Crops Research Institute
Maharashtra	i) Wardha and ii) Yavatmal	Dr. Punjabrao Deshmukh Krishi Vidyapeeth, Akola
	iii) Amaravati	Sharam Safalya Foundation
	iv) Akola	Sharam Sadhna Trust
	v) Buldhana	Satpuda Education Society
	vi) Washim	SUVIDE Foundation

Statement II

Details of State, Organisation and year-wise funds released and Technical activities undertaken by KVKs in suicide affected districts

SI. No.	State.	Organisation (No. of KVKs)	Year (Rs	Funds Released in Lakh)	Demonstrations Conducted	Farmers Trained	Participants in Extn Activities
1	KARNATAKA	State Agricultural	2005-06	172 67	480	22611	44642
		University/ ICAR	2006-07	118.25	584	22435	41526
		(5)	Total	290.92	1064	45046	86168
			2005-06	53.94	223	2806	7460
		NGO(1)	2006-07	35.6	164	3862	8461
		\ .	Total	89.54	387	6668	15921
			2005-06	226 61	703	25417	52102
		State Total	2006-07	153 85	748	26297	49987
			Total	38046	1451	, 51714	102089
2	ANDHRA PRADESH	State Agricultural					
		University/	2005-06	411.13	452	17427	35955
		ICAR	2006-07	338.26	1300	16715	27900
		(9)	Total	749.39	1752	34142	63855
			2005-06	32537	692	17606	21267
		NGO(7)	2006-07	242.68	1168	18419	14969
			Total	568.05	1860	36025	36236
			2005-06	736.5	1144	35033	57222
		State Total	2006-07	580 94	2468	35134	42869
			Total	1317.44	3612	70167	100091
3.	KERALA	State					
		Agricultural	2005-06	119.93	204	7283	5881
		University/ ICAR	2006-07	888	118	6523	7480
		(3)	Total	208.73	322	13806	13361
			2005-06	119.93	204	7283	5881
		State Total	2006-07	88.8	118	6523	7480
			Total	208.73	322	13806	13361
4	MAHARASHTRA	State	2005-06	51.72	215	4080	2443
		Agricultural	2006-07	52.35	79	6075	17408
		University (2)	Total	104.07	294	10155	19851
			2005-06	19833	448	14270	26100
		NGO(4)	2006-07	173.7	340	12026	22143
			Total	372.03	788	26296	48243
			2005-06	250.05	663	18350	28543
		State Total	2006-07	226.05	419	18101	39551
			Total	476.1	1082	36451	68094
	GRAND TOTAL		2005-	1333.09	2714	86083	143748
			2006-07'	1049.64	3753	86055	139887
			Total	238273	6467	172138	283635